

1[CCE.M]1

Psychology–II

(20)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 300

INSTRUCTIONS

- (i) Answers must be written in English.
- (ii) The number of marks carried by each question is indicated at the end of the question.
- (iii) The answer to each question or part thereof should begin on a fresh page.
- (iv) Your answers should be precise and coherent.
- (v) The part/parts of the same question must be answered together and should not be interposed between answers to other questions.
- (vi) Candidates should attempt question nos. **2** and **5** which are compulsory and any **three** out of the remaining questions.
- (vii) If you encounter any typographical error, please read it as it appears in the text book.
- (viii) Candidates are in their own interest advised to go through the General Instructions on the back side of the title page of the Answer Script for strict adherence.
- (ix) No continuation sheets shall be provided to any candidate under any circumstances.

- (x) Candidates shall put a cross (X) on blank pages of Answer Script.
- (xi) No blank page be left in between answer to various questions.
1. State the characteristics of a standardized psychological test. Explain the major steps involved in the construction of a psychological test. 50
 2. Write short notes on any **three** of the following :
 - (a) What is Sociometric Technique ? How intergroup relations can be assessed using this technique ? 25
 - (b) What are the assumptions underlying Behaviour Therapy ? How can it be used to treat anxiety disorders ? 25
 - (c) Which are the pathways responsible for negative outcome of early socio-economic disadvantage ? Can it be offset through some psychological interventions ? 25
 - (d) What is Psychopathic Personality ? Comment on its relationship with criminal behaviour. 25
 3. Explain any two well known theories of Work Motivation. Comment on their relevance in the Indian context. 50
 4. Define the term Stress and elaborate on symptoms of stress. Which are stress related disorders ? Discuss Cognitive Therapies of Stress Management. 50
 5. Write short notes on any **three** of the following :
 - (a) Explain problems related to the training of gifted children. 25
 - (b) What is the role of communication in everyday life ? How verbal and non-verbal communication can be made more effective ? 25
 - (c) Elaborate on the role of school as an agent of socialization. 25
 - (d) Discuss in detail the role of life style, religiosity and positive emotions in healthy ageing. 25
 6. Explain the relationship between achievement–motivation and entrepreneur behaviour. Discuss how people can be motivated to achieve more ? 50
 7. Explain the theoretical approaches to understand dynamics of prejudice. How can intergroup contact be useful in reducing prejudice ? 50
 8. What is Alcoholism ? What are the biological and psychosocial factors playing a role in Alcoholism ? Describe long term effects of alcoholism on brain. 50